

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A suppressor for a device for connecting an electric motor has a varistor and a capacitor connected in parallel for providing suppression for the electric motor. The suppressor has particularly small dimensions compared with a capacitor exhibiting a comparable suppression strength. For the purposes of providing suppression for electric motors used for fuel  
5 pumps, the dimensions of the suppressor are fundamentally independent of its power and the level of design complexity required for mounting suppressors on the electric motor with a different power is particularly low.